

PRANK CAUSES DEATH IN MOTOR BOAT PARTY

Mrs. David Crawford, 23, Drowns
When Dory Is Swamped Off
Ardley-on-Hudson.

REFUSED TO TAKE "DARE"

Frantic Husband Tries to Leap
Overboard—Body Is Not
Recovered.

TARRYTOWN, N. Y., May 30.—Mrs. David Crawford, of 715 East 237th street, Wakenfield, New York city, was drowned in the Hudson off Edwin Gould's dock at Ardley-on-Hudson this afternoon because she refused to take a dare.

Mrs. Crawford and her husband were with a merry party of eight other couples who left Yonkers in the launch Irene for a sail up the Hudson. She was sitting in the stern of the boat with William Baldwin and three others when she said she would like to get in the dory that was trailing the launch. One of the party dared her, and she said she would get in if Baldwin went with her. Baldwin agreed.

Mrs. Crawford got in first and as Baldwin stepped in the bow the boat went down and the water rushed in. The launch was making twelve miles an hour, and in a few seconds the dory was swamped. Some one ran to William Stewart, the owner of the launch, and told him to stop the boat, as Mrs. Crawford had fallen overboard. Crawford was with Stewart, and he thought it a joke.

In the meanwhile those in the stern of the boat were making frantic efforts to save Mrs. Crawford and Baldwin. Both could swim, but Mrs. Crawford got excited and grabbed Baldwin around the neck, and both were going down when George Hill, Mrs. Crawford's brother, dived overboard. The launch was 100 feet away by this time and, although Hill swam swiftly against the tide he could not get to the couple in time. Crawford sank from Baldwin's grasp, and Hill had all he could do to save Baldwin. The boat was backed up, and life preservers were thrown out and the two men were dragged aboard.

Crawford, frantic, attempted to jump overboard, but was held back by members of the party. The boat put into Ardley, and Coroner Miles of Yonkers was notified. The body was not recovered. Crawford is an estimator for the American Bridge Company and was married in January. Mrs. Crawford was 23. The other members of the party were Miss May Stahl, Miss Gertrude Klump, Miss Nagle, Miss Dorothy Roskopf, Miss Lorraine Webb, Mr. and Mrs. Norman Griffith, Lewis Oxon, E. Hedner, E. S. Hoys and John Bonfiglio of Wakenfield, and Miss Wilson of New Haven.

Motorcyclist Is Crippled in Collision With Automobile.

STAMFORD, Conn., May 30.—William Cornell of 13 Watson avenue, Worcester, Mass., is in the Stamford Hospital with a broken leg and other injuries as a result of a collision on the Boston Post road here this afternoon. He was riding on a motorcycle and was in collision with an auto driven by John J. Brodbeck of 1888 Morris avenue, Bronx, New York. Mrs. Brodbeck, their 2-year-old child and James Riley, their chauffeur, were also in the auto.

None of the occupants of the car were injured. Witnesses absolved Mr. Brodbeck of blame and he was not held by the police.

Thrown Through Windshield and Window, Chauffeur May Die.

A collision in which the chauffeur of the touring car was catapulted through the windshield of his car and through one window of the limousine occurred yesterday afternoon at Broadway and Broadway, Flushing, L. I. Ernest Adrian, the driver of the touring car, who went through two panes of glass, is lying unconscious in Flushing Hospital and is not expected to live.

Man and Woman Thrown From Motorcycle by Auto.

Frank Walck, 26 years old, of 72 Maple street, Yonkers, was riding a motorcycle yesterday afternoon at Broadway and 19th street, with Theresa Dolan, 28 years old, of the same address, on the seat behind him, when an automobile driven by Harry M. Wells of 225 West 109th street, threw them to the roadway and demolished the motorcycle. Walck and Miss Dolan were taken to the Washington Heights Hospital and then to their home. They sustained numerous lacerations and contusions.

Runabout Dives Over Bank and Driver Lanes in Tree.

Alfred Marceau, 69 years old, of 1259 Oak street, Richmond Hill, Queens, lost control of a runabout on Snake Hill, a twisting turn in the Highland Boulevard, yesterday afternoon. The auto arose on its hind wheels, turned at a right angle and dived over an embankment. Marceau jumped as it left the roadway and lodged in a small tree. Beyond a wrenched back he escaped injury. At Kinross of the Bradford street hospital treated him. The machine was badly damaged. Marceau bought it yesterday. He was taking it home.

Run Down by Motorcyclist and Left Lying in Road.

NEWTON, N. J., May 30.—James Matthews, a farmhand who lives four miles from this village, was seriously, perhaps fatally hurt by a man on a motor cycle who escaped to-day. Matthews came to the village to see a circus. In High street, near Broadway, he was knocked down by a speeding motor cycle. He lay in the road for half an hour before he was found.

Boy Run Down by Unknown Auto- mobileist on Staten Island May Die.

Thomas K. Lanza, 9 years old, of Sista avenue, Concord, Richmond borough, in St. Vincent's Hospital at Livingston, and may die from a fractured skull received last night when he was run down by an unknown automobile driver. The driver of this car did not stop.

Squall Strikes Boat; Pleasure Seeker Drowned Off Staten Island.

Oscar Lundgren, 25 years old, of 64 Main street, Totenville, Staten Island, was drowned yesterday afternoon when a squall struck the boat in which he was sailing on Staten Island Sound. The body was not recovered.

Chemical Company Dividend.

The General Chemical Company has declared its regular quarterly dividend of 2 1/2 per cent. on the preferred stock. The dividend will be paid to holders of record June 17.

G. A. R. RANKS, CUT DOWN TO 700 MEN, HAVE AN ESCORT OF 10,000 FOR MEMORIAL DAY PARADE AND EXERCISES



The Old Guard of the John A. Dix Post in the Parade.

The boys in blue of '61—the color guard of the nation's patriotism, as one proud veteran described them—received the nation's annual tribute of love yesterday as their dwindled ranks marched up Riverside Drive from Seventy-third street to the Soldiers and Sailors' Monument at Eighty-sixth street. The column numbered scarcely 700 men.

The early morning's rain and threatening skies had made way for a cool breeze and bright sun when the cruiser Tennessee's guns roared the national salute at noon during the memorial exercises at the monument.

The National Guard, the regulars, the Spanish war veterans and the semi-military organizations, in all nearly 10,000 strong, merely served as a van and rear guard to the 700 veterans in the middle of the line, so that the impressive lesson of the little band stood out more clearly to the 10,000 others who filled the reviewing stands at Eighty-ninth and Ninetieth streets and lined both sides of the Drive while the parade passed.

Cheers for the Old Men.

There were spaces in the irregular lines of gray haired veterans which the last year has increased. Perhaps a few more rode in carriages this time, a few more leaned on canes or the supporting arms of companions, perhaps the steps of more than ever were faltering, but if so the cheers and applause of the younger generation crowded around the officials in the reviewing stand as the remnant of the army passed and acknowledged the greetings were so much louder and more sincere.

Gen. Washington Gardner, commander in chief of the Grand Army of the Republic, who reviewed the parade, was escorted to the stand a few minutes before 10 o'clock. The Old Guard, with their conspicuous tall fur hats, in command by Major Adolph L. Kline, acting as escort.

With Gen. Gardner were George Mc-

G. A. R. CHEERS MAYOR AS CONFEDERATE SON

Veterans Applaud as He Tells
How Ancestors Fought
Against Union.

There were whoops for Mayor Mitchell and his Confederate ancestry from several hundred G. A. R. veterans and their wives and families, who filled every seat on the main floor and stage of Carnegie Hall and occupied a good part of the balconies last night at the memorial exercises held under the auspices of the Grand Army of the Republic.

"I have often wanted to join with the Grand Army of the Republic on an occasion like this," Mayor Mitchell said after being introduced as presiding officer by Gen. George B. Loud, "but this is the first opportunity I've had. I'm glad to come here as Mayor of the city to help in the acknowledgement of the debt that the city of New York owes these men, and to come as a citizen in acknowledgment of the debt the whole country owes them. But perhaps I am most of all glad to come here and join you as the son of a Confederate veteran and the nephew of two."

Here the old soldiers, white and black, and their wives and children to the third generation broke in with the cheers that atoned the Mayor for some moments. "The nephew of two other Confederates," he went on when quiet came back, "who gave their lives in the cause they thought right. [Applause.] I greet you as the son of one who marched with the first regiment out of Richmond, a Confederate who fought for what he believed to be right until after Lee's surrender." [Applause.]

Mayor Mitchell then reminded his hearers that it took that great war to cement the Union, but added that it is his belief that never again will such a war be fought in this country. New problems and dangers of a social and industrial nature must be faced and solved, he said, but to any one who had seen the dead from Vera Cruz brought through the streets recently no doubt could remain that now and always men will be ready to face the dangers and solve the problems.

Gen. Loud said during the course of a stirring speech that for the first time in two successive years as presiding officer or orator on the same stage on like occasions he must bid his comrades farewell and henceforth turn over the office to successors.

The commander in chief of the Grand Army, Washington Gardner of Detroit, was received uproariously when he marched onto the stage accompanied by his son and State Quartermaster-General Winifred Gray Grace, a lengthy programme of vocal music and stirring marches by the Sixty-ninth Regiment Band.

MILES REVIEWS VETERANS.

Brooklyn Parade Moves to the
Soldiers and Sailors Arch.

There was a general observance of Memorial Day in Brooklyn, with business for the most part suspended and the Stars and Stripes conspicuous all over the borough.

The parade, as usual, was the chief

feature of the celebration and it excited more interest than in several years. There were more than 5,000 in the line, including the veterans of the civil war, detachments of the United States army and navy, the National Guard, Spanish-American War Veterans, Sons of Veterans and United Boys Brigades. The line of march, extending for the monument to the city hall, was a continuous cheering and waving of handkerchiefs as the column moved by.

While the parade was being formed at Bedford avenue and Broadway a reception was given to Gen. Nelson A. Miles, U. S. A., retired, at the Hanover Club. Major Gen. Isaac S. Catlin, Gen. James McLeer, Dr. A. Ross Mathewson, the grand marshal, and his staff and the leading borough officials took part in the reception.

The parade started shortly after 9 o'clock amid loud cheering from several thousand spectators. Following the grand marshal and his staff came a detachment of the United States army, Col. Allen commanding, and marines and blue sections. The second division was composed of the various National Guard organizations, Brig.-Gen. John G. Eddy commanding.

The Grand Army posts composed the third division and more than a half of the veterans were so feeble and aged that they had to ride in carriages. Memorial exercises were held in the morning in front of the monument to Henry Ward Beecher at the Borough Hall under the direction of the Henry Ward Beecher Mission Circle. "Love Divine" was sung by the assemblage and the Rev. Frederick Shannon delivered an address. The statue was profusely decorated with potted plants and floral wreaths, which will to-day be turned over to the hospitals.

200,000 AT CONEY ISLAND.

Record for Orderliness and Absence
of Accidents.

Coney Island's Decoration Day, the first day of the season when the island is really in full swing, opened with a rush, and in number of attendance, orderliness and absence of accidents set a record to begin the summer. It was estimated that 200,000 persons went down to the amusement place.

All the bathing houses were open, including the Municipal Bath, but there were not many bathers. The Brighton Beach Hotel, under the management of Morgan Bellak, opened for the season. The band of the Island amusement place, that the B. R. T. trams started on the summer schedule and were packed all day long. The crowd stayed well in the night and the police had no records of either accidents or serious trouble. Places that have bred disorder have been pretty thoroughly cleaned up from Coney Island and the police look for a peaceful summer.

MEXICAN VETERANS IN PARADE.

Four in Carriages in Newark's Memorial Celebration.

NEWARK, N. J., May 30.—Soldiers of the Mexican war of 1846 took part with the veterans of the civil war and the war with Spain in the annual Memorial Day parade here to-day. Thousands turned out to see the spectacle and cheered the veterans.

Unable to march because of old age and infirmities the Mexican war veterans rode in carriages. They were J. N. Jerolman of 14 Roseville avenue, Edward Collins of 55 Vesey street, Edward R. Burton of 260 Sixth avenue and David Edwards of 688 Parker street.

Burton and Mr. Collins are each 91 years old. Mr. Jerolman is 88 and Mr. Edwards is 90. Joseph Evans of 184 Belleville avenue, another veteran of the same war, was prevented by illness from taking part in the parade.

BATON Rouge, N. J., May 30.—The first public monument in Bayonne erected to the

memory of the soldiers and sailors who fell in the civil war was dedicated this afternoon in the new Hudson County Park. It was unveiled by Helen Geary, daughter of the late Mayor of Hudson County, and the grand marshal of the parade, Commissioner Alexander Christie, president of the monument association.

The speakers included Mr. Christie, William J. Davis, president for the Hudson County Park Commission; Prof. Edward J. Sweeney, Mayor Bert Daly, Major E. P. Reichheim and Max Davis. School children sang patriotic selections.

UNVEILS SHAFT TO HIMSELF.

Veteran Fires Own Salute Over
Monument Topped by Own Statue.

PHILADELPHIA, May 30.—Melville H. Freas, a civil war veteran, unveiled a marble monument to himself in Ivy Hills Cemetery to-day to perpetuate the memory of his service and the hardships he suffered in Southern prisons.

Clad in the old faded blue uniform and with the mustache he carried in the war, he marched to the cemetery and before the spot where he expects to be buried pulled a cord revealing a four ton monument surmounted by a life size statue of himself. Then Freas prayed for himself.

Members of Company A, 150th Pennsylvania Volunteer Infantry, helped to fire a salute, saying they would do so when he was dead. Freas lifted the musket and fired a salute of his own over the monument and ended by placing a wreath on his marble head.

JUST AS THE MOVIES SHOW IT.

Bold, Bad Holdup of 12 Fires on
Isidor Cohen, 11.

As Isidor Cohen, 11 years old, of 368 Williams avenue, East New York, and some companions were walking through a wooded section of Highland Park just before dusk yesterday a twelve-year-old boy, with cap drawn down over his eyes, glided from behind a clump of bushes, pointed a revolver at him and exclaimed: "Throw up your hands and don't make a noise!"

The Cohen kid screamed and grabbed the juvenile Turpin. The latter pulled the trigger and the charge scorched Isidor's right hand. The boy scrambled into the woods and nobody was able to catch him. The Cohen boy's wound was dressed by Dr. Kennard of the Bradford Street Hospital.

The police are trying to find out whether the boy with the gun was in earnest or whether that was his idea of a joke.

KEYHOLE EVIDENCE WINS.

Mrs. Katherine K. Harrison Gets a
Divorce From Coal Merchant.

While Mrs. Katherine K. Harrison and detectives in her employ were in a room in the Hotel Gregorian they heard her husband, George W. Harrison, a coal merchant, kissing another woman in an adjoining room. They also heard one say "My dear." Then they forced their way into the other room.

What the raiding party saw furnished the evidence upon which Supreme Court Justice Blanchard has granted a divorce to Mrs. Harrison. The couple were married at the Church of the Ascension on April 1, 1912. The incident which caused Mrs. Harrison to sue took place on December 20, 1912.

Waldorf Bows to Tango Craze.

Manager Stewart of the Waldorf-Astoria announced last night that beginning to-morrow evening there will be a concert with dancing on the hotel's roof garden from 9 P. M. until midnight. This is the first time the Waldorf has permitted dancing except on New Year's eve. Two orchestras will provide music. When the weather is unfavorable the dancers will adjourn to the Empire Restaurant.

20,000 CATHOLICS MARCH.

Holy Name Societies Hold Joint
Memorial Day Exercises.

With flags and many bands of music 20,000 members of the Holy Name Society from thirty-four Roman Catholic parishes in The Bronx yesterday marched from St. Augustine's Church, Fulton avenue and 167th street, to the Catholic Protective grounds in Westchester, where an outdoor memorial service was held by the Rev. Joseph W. Mooney. The address was made by the Rev. William R. Courtney.

The marchers wore red, white and blue bands on their left arms and a white cross. It was said that the society, which is a Catholic organization for promoting greater reverence for the Holy Name, plans to observe Memorial Day from now on in keeping with the religious significance of such occasions. The committee in charge of the parade yesterday was headed by Martin C. Dyer.

The regular Memorial Day parade in The Bronx comprised the G. A. R., Spanish-American war veterans and two regiments of infantry from Fort Slocum, New Rochelle.

VETERAN FALLS DEAD.

Stricken as He Prepares to Enter
Ranks for Parade.

While preparing to parade to nearby cemeteries to decorate the graves of departed comrades A. A. Hallock, a veteran of the civil war residing in Farmingdale, L. I., dropped dead yesterday on the lawn of the schoolhouse at Amityville, L. I. He had gone from his home to Amityville to join fellow members of Hugh B. Knickerbocker Post, G. A. R. It is believed that the shock of the trip and the excitement of the memorial exercises caused heart failure. He was 67 years old.

CHILD'S CRY RESCUES MOTHER FROM SUICIDE

Little Son of Mrs. Edith Mac-
Dougall Sees Her Jump
Into Hudson.

Mrs. Edith MacDougall, 24 years old, wife of Robert Bruce MacDougall, an instructor in the City College, jumped into the Hudson River off the float in front of the New York Motor Boat Club at the foot of 147th street yesterday afternoon for the crime of her 4-year-old son William, who had accompanied his mother to the place.

George Hacknett of 1296 Shakespeare avenue, The Bronx, was in the clubhouse when he heard the boy cry. He ran out in time to see Mrs. MacDougall sinking in fifteen feet of water. Throwing off his hat and coat he dived and brought her to the float. She was taken to the Washington Heights Hospital in an unconscious condition but she was revived and told her name and address. She was then placed under arrest for attempted suicide.

In her handbag was found a letter written on a letterhead of the Alpha Delta Phi Club at 136 West Forty-fourth street. Over the club name was the only sentence distinguishable in the letter. It read: "After all, physical courage is something." The word "something" was underscored.

Mr. MacDougall has been living with his wife and children at the Williams Henry Apartments at 609 West 136th street for three years. He hurried from this address to the hospital when he had been notified of his wife's arrest and told reporters she was evidently suffering from mental depression, which had been noticeable, he said, following the birth of their youngest boy two years ago. She has had mental lapses since that time, he said, and to please him she disappeared from home for a day.

COTREN'S DEATH ACCIDENTAL.

Brooklyn Lawyer Took Morphine to
Relieve Pain.

Ex-Assemblyman Frank W. Cotren, the Brooklyn lawyer who died on Friday night in the bathroom of his home at 173 South Oxford street, Brooklyn, from an overdose of morphine, has been suffering for several months from a severe attack of neuritis. His wife discovered recently that he was resorting to the use of morphine, cocaine and other drugs to lessen his pain. She pleaded with him to give up the use of the drugs and he promised to try to do so.

Mr. Cotren had been dead an hour and a half when his body was found. Dr. F. W. McCarthy, pastor of St. Augustine's Roman Catholic Church at Sixth avenue and Sterling place, Brooklyn, died yesterday in the Valhalla Hotel, 15 East Hoboken street, Manhattan.

DIES SUDDENLY IN A HOTEL.

M. McCarthy, Kings County Hospital
Clerk, Suddenly Stricken.

Michael McCarthy, a clerk in the Kings County Hospital and brother of the Rev. F. W. McCarthy, pastor of St. Augustine's Roman Catholic Church at Sixth avenue and Sterling place, Brooklyn, died yesterday in the Valhalla Hotel, 15 East Hoboken street, Manhattan.

Mr. McCarthy lived with his family at 78 Bond street, Brooklyn. His son Cyril called at the Mulberry street police station and identified the body. The dead man was 40 years old. The cause of death was given as heart failure.

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FORMERLY GREENHUT-SIEGEL COOPER COMPANY

Thomlinson Out on Bail.
Donald Thomlinson, husband of Mrs. Connie May Thomlinson, who died Thursday afternoon at the Lying-in Hospital, Seventeenth street and Second avenue, after an illegal operation performed at 230 East Fifty-second street, is out on \$5,000 bail furnished by the National Surety Company. He left the Tomb yesterday afternoon in an automobile with two National Guard officers in uniform.

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